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SUBJECT: AIRCRAFT ACCIDENTS: CROP-SPRAYING CESSNA C-188 CRASHLANDS

REF: 10 FAM 521.6

1. CROP-SPRAYING CESSNA C-188 CRASH-LANDED ON CORFYU ISLAND ON JULY 21, 1978. EMBASSY HAS BEEN ABLE TO DEVELOP FOLLOWING INFORMATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH REFERENCE INSTRUCTIONS.

A. CESSNA C-188, CYPRIOT REGISTRATION NO. 5B-CCS.

B. OWNED BY TRANSORIENT SHIPPING CO., LTD., OF CYPRUS, AND OPERATED ON LEASE BY AEROPSEKASTIKI EPE (AEROSPRAYING LTD.) OF GREECE.

C. ACCIDENT OCCURED AT 0720 HOURS LOCAL TIME ON JULY 21, 1978.

D. AIRCRAFT HAD TAKEN OFF FROM AIRSTRIP NEAR PYRGI, CORFU, TO SPRAY OLIVE GROVES IN THE AREA.

E. AIRCRAFT CRASHED IN A LOCATION CALLED DHASSIA, NEAR PYRGI, ADJACENT TO AN OLIVE GROVE. COORDINATES ARE NOT AVAILABLE.

F. PILOT GEORGE PAPADOPOULOS WAS THE SOLE PERSON ON BOARD. HE SUFFERED LIGHT LEG INJURY.

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G. ACCORDING TO UNOFFICIAL PRELIMINARY INFORMATION, ACCIDENT OCCURED BECAUSE OF ENGINE STOPPAGE, AND AIRCRAFT SUFFERED LIGHT, UNSPECIFIED DAMAGES.

H. CAUSE OF ACCIDENT AND EXTENT OF DAMAGE TO AIRCRAFT ARE GEING INVESTIGATED.

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